

Attachment A

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Claims 1-18 (Canceled)

19. (new) An article of headwear including an impact resistant outer part of crown shape, and an impact resistant inner part of crown shape of a size and shape adapted to nest with the outer part and at least one intermediate part which is positioned to be intermediate the said outer and inner crown shaped parts, and which outer and inner parts are together adapted to support in removable fashion the intermediate part, and where the intermediate part is comprised of at least in the main a fluid.
20. (new) The article of headwear as in the claim 19, further characterized in that the fluid is held in one or more pliable pouches which are arranged to be removable and replaceable.
21. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 20, further characterized in that the fluid is a freezable gel.
22. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 19, further characterized in that there is a further part which is comprised of at least in the main an insulating material which is positioned between the intermediate part and the outer part.
23. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 22, further characterized in that the further part is a pliable and insulating material.
24. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 19, further characterized in that the intermediate part includes pliable plastics material sheet holding there within a

freezable gel.

25. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 20, further characterized in that there is a peak or brim extending outwardly from the outer part, from a rim of the crown shape of the outer part.
26. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 19, further characterized in that there is a further outermost part of a size and shape, which is adapted to nest within it the outer part.
27. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 26, further characterized in that there is a further innermost part, which is a cradle or harness having a lower rim interengaging with either the outer or outermost part and supporting at least one strap extending from one side of the rim portion to an opposite side of the rim portion.
28. (new) An article of headwear having a crown which has an impact resistant outer part of crown shape, and an impact resistant inner part of a size and shape adapted to and nesting with the outer part and at least one intermediate part which is positioned to be intermediate the said outer and inner crown parts and which outer and inner parts are together adapted to support in removable fashion the intermediate part, and where the intermediate part is comprised of at least in the main a frozen gel.
29. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 26, further characterised in that there is attached to the outermost part a peak extending outwardly from a rim of the crown shape of the outermost part.
30. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 19, further

characterised in that there is attached to the inner part a peak or brim extending outwardly from a rim of the outer part.

31. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 27, further characterised in that the innermost part is a cradle having a lower rim interengaging with the outer part and supporting at least one strap extending from one side of the rim portion to an opposite side of the rim portion and following the path defining a crown shape nesting within the outer part.
32. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 26, further characterised in that the outermost part is comprised of a woven fabric.
33. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 26, further characterised in that the outermost part is made of an impact resistant material.
34. (new) The article of headwear as in claim 26, further characterised in that outermost part is comprised of a stretch fabric.
35. (new) An article of headwear as described in the specification with reference to and as illustrated by the accompanying illustrations.